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<b>In re Application of:</b>	<b>Stephen Armstrong</b>
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**Docket No.: P68.2B-11514-US01**

**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

1. In regard to the above-identified application, in addition to this **2 page** transmittal letter, we are submitting the attached:  
**1 page Informal Request to Correct Inventor Names In Form 1449; and Postcard.**
2. With respect to fees:
  - ▶ **No additional fee is required.**
  - ☐ Attached is check(s) in the amount of \$
  - ☐ Charge additional fee to our Deposit Account No. 22-0350.
3. **CONDITIONAL PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**  
This conditional petition is being filed along with the papers identified in Item 1 above and provides for the possibility that Applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time or for a petition and fee for any other matter petitionable to the Commissioner as required. If any extension of time for the accompanying response is required or if a petition for any other matter is required, by petitioner, Applicant requests that this be considered a petition therefor.
4. Notwithstanding paragraph 2 above, if any additional fees associated with this communication are required and have not otherwise been paid, including any fee associated with the Conditional Petition for Extension of Time, or any request in the accompanying papers for action which requires a fee as a petition to the Commissioner, please charge the additional fees to Deposit Account No. 22-0350.

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Respectfully submitted,

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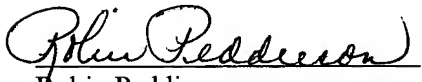
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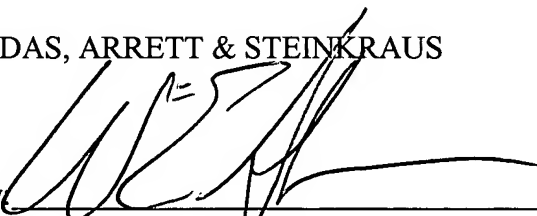
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**INFORMAL REQUEST TO CORRECT INVENTOR NAMES IN FORM 1449**

Upon reviewing the Information Disclosure Statement as filed on April 28, 2004, for the above-identified application, an error was noted on Form 1449 for two of the inventor names. For reference number 6045264 the correct inventor name should be "Miniea" and for reference number 6568046 the correct inventor name should be "Savicki." A red-lined copy of the 1449 Form is enclosed herewith showing the corrections.

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